

## PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kiran BELLARE et al.

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ELECTRONIC AFFILIATE  
COMPENSATION**

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby inquire into the status of the above application. To date, Applicants have not received an Office Action or other communication from the PTO in connection with this application.

No fee is due with this communication.

Respectfully submitted,

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